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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SUGAR DATA

REF STATE 66941

1. CURRENT AVERAGE TOTAL PRODUCTION COSTS FOR RAW SUGAR IN BELGIUM ESTIMATED ABOUT 5.5 CENTS PER POUND. COST BREAKDOWN BETWEEN VARIABLE AND FIXED COSTS NOT AVAILABLE.
2. AVERAGE DOMESTIC PRICE PAID TO FARMERS FOR SUGAR BEETS DURING MARKETING YEAR OCT 76-SEPT 77, IN TERMS OF RAW SUGAR, ESTIMATED ABOUT 10 CENTS PER POUND. THIS PRICE INCLUDES THAT PAID TO FARMERS FOR BEETS UNDER QUOTA A OF THE CAP (BELGIAN FRANCS 1,212.50 PER METRIC TON, 16 PERCENT SUGAR) PLUS BELGIAN FRACS 40 PER METRIC TON AS "PROMOTION PREMIUM" PAID BY BELGIAN SUGAR FACTORIES.
3. CURRENT DOMESTIC RETAIL CONSUMER PRICE OF REFINED SUGAR IS 30 CENTS PER POUND.
4. AVERAGE FOB PORT UNIT VALUE OF TOTAL BLEU SUGAR EXPORTS DURING CY 1976, IN TERMS OF RAW VALUE, WAS 18 CENTS PER POUND.

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5. CURRENT PRICE RECEIVED BY BELGIAN SUGAR EXPORTERS FOB ANTWERP IS ABOUT 10 CENTS PER POUND, RAW VALUE IN BAGS OF 50 KILOS.
6. ABOVE US PRICES CONVERTED AT 37BF/DOLLAR. RENNER

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